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## **VIA ECF**

Hon. Mary Kay Vyskocil United States District Judge United States District Court 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: Ortega Almonte et al v. Hurricane Strauss Inc. et al

Case No.: 1:19-cv-06104

Dear Judge Vyskocil:

This office represents Plaintiffs in the above-named matter. On June 21, 2021 the Court entered an order requiring the parties to submit a joint letter regarding the fairness of the proposed settlement in this case. The settlement agreement has been drafted and executed by the defendants; however, the plaintiffs have not yet been able to come into the office to execute the agreement. We respectfully request an extension of time of two weeks, until July 27, 2021, to submit the settlement agreement for the Court's review.

There have been no previous requests for an extension of time. Defendants consent to this extension.

We thank the Court for the time and attention devoted to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

By: <u>/s/ James W. McCartney</u> James W. McCartney, Esq.

GRANTED. However, counsel is reminded that, pursuant to the Court's Individual Practices, any request for extensions of deadlines must be requested at least 72 hours in advance of the deadline. This request is untimely. Counsel's continued noncompliance with the Court's rules may result in sanctions. SO ORDERED.

Date: 7/14/2021 New York, New York

United States District Judge